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Aradia Produce Co

At this time of year we all think of our friends. And we take this opportunity of expressing our desire that you all enjoy

A Very Merry Christmas

BANNER HARDWARE AND GROCERIES

To--You Our Customers and Friends--

May Your Christmas Be a Merry and Joyous One

The Sincere Wish of

COOLEY BROS.

Mrs. Kerby and little daughter, Pat, of Hanna, who have been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Young, returned to her home on Wednesday.

Bert Gordon who has been in the Cereal Hospital for over two months, suffering from a broken back, had so far recovered as to be able to leave the Hospital this week.

"Peace On Earth"

Let us all, With True Christmas spirit Put Aside Our Troubles, And Make This Season One of,

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Christmas Greetings

and Happy prosperous Days Within the Coming Year To Our Advertisers, Subscribers and Friends

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We wish you the Merriest Christmas and a Prosperous New Year

Chinook "Advance"

Heartiest Christmas Greetings

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Christie's Biscuits

"There's a Christie Biscuit for every taste"

Wheat Consumption in Canada

The announcement at the opening session of the Turgeon Grain Inquiry Commission by James McAnish, statistician of the Canadian Wheat Board, to the effect that the annual per capita consumption of wheat in Canada has declined more than a half a bushel in the past six years must have occasioned considerable surprise.

More than surprising, it is a startling revelation contained in the figures supporting his contention that a fairly steady annual consumption of 4.5 bushels per head of population for a period of years prior to and including 1929 had dropped to 3.9 bushels by 1935.

No reason was assigned by Mr. McAnish for this reduced support for one of the principal home industries of this country, so far as news reports of the proceedings indicate, but, when it is remembered that this reduced consumption in the producing country is augmented by diminishing consumption of Canada wheat in importing countries it is a matter of concern which appears to require further investigation.

A reduced consumption of wheat at home might not be a matter of such grave concern to Canadian farmers if it were not for restriction in the import market which is due to an increased consumption in Canada of other Western Canadian farm products but, so far no evidence has been adduced to show that this is the case.

Until some further evidence to show the cause of this decline in home consumption, if available, is produced, the subject is one likely to arouse considerable speculation.

In a recent editorial the Saskatchewan Star-Phoenix sought to show, by reference to a series of index figures concerning the sales of a number of commodities, that the blame should not be laid at the door of the Western Canadian consumer, leaving the inference that the reduction of the use of cereal products on the meat tables of Canadians must be attributed to change in the diet habits of the people of Eastern Canada.

This appears to be a reasonable inference in the light of the fact that wheat products in the form of bread constitute the cheapest food commodity available in this country and the further fact that conditions in the agricultural west in the last few years have not warranted the substitution of more expensive food for the humble loaf.

If improved economic conditions are responsible for reduced consumption of wheat products in Canada it is not the case that can qualify for this distinction. Certainly conditions in the west up to and including 1935 have not warranted any upward change in the general dietary of the people.

Experience of recent years has shown that as economic conditions improve in countries with a relatively high standard of living there is a tendency to cut down consumption of cereal products in favor of an increased use of meats, fruits and dairy products. This has happened in the past two or three years in Great Britain and particularly in Scotland, accounting for a narrowing market for Canadian wheat in the Motherland.

Informative light on the dietetic trends of countries of the world was shed by Professor J. S. Davis of the University of Stanford Research Institute at the World's Grain Show in Regina when he quoted carefully compiled and analyzed statistics to show that in countries with a high standard of living such as the United States there was a progressively marked tendency towards reduced consumption of cereals. Dividing the countries of the world into three groups he proved that there is a reverse tendency in countries with a low standard of living, such as China and India where consumption in the intermediate group in which he included a number of mid-European countries remains more or less static.

The combined information confirms statements made some time ago in this column, namely that the solution of the problem of the Canadian wheat producer lies in two directions, the opening up of new or comparatively new markets in countries where the living standard is still low and encouragement of increased consumption in existing markets in countries with a high standard of living, and particularly the latter for obvious reasons.

During the past couple of years the millers of Great Britain, alarmed at the steady decline of wheat consumption in their own country have been staging an "Eat more Bread" campaign, but apparently with comparatively little effect. This is not very surprising because, if people want higher-priced commodities and are able to pay for them, they will buy them regardless of such campaigns.

The only way that such campaigns can be effective is to back them up by making bread and other wheat products more attractive. This is being done to a limited extent by bakeries in some of the urban centres of Western Canada by the use of "sesame seeds" and other "seasonings" which not only make bread more attractive in appearance but more appealing to the palate and what is more the bakers get a higher price for such products than the standard loaf.

If consumers in Western Canadian cities are prepared to pay more for "fancy" breads, the probability is that such methods would bring increased consumption if properly launched and pushed with vigor in the United Kingdom and Eastern Canada and this is a field which might be well worth exploring.

In countries where the standard of living is high and rising the solution for the wheat producer lies not in cheapening the product but in making it more attractive.

Would Settle Nothing

Another War Might Add Further To World's Troubles

According to League of Nations figures, there are three million more men under arms in the permanent forces of the world to-day than at the outbreak of the great war—which was to have ended war. The number of men in armies and navies to-day is set at 8,200,000 and does not include the semi-official forces in some lands. Many of our troubles may be traced directly to the great war, which settled nothing and seems to be leading to a new war which will settle nothing again except perhaps the fate of civilization.—Nagara Falls Review.

On Jan. 2, the sun is about 3,110,000 miles nearer the earth than at any other time.

Subject To Man's Will

Booms And Depressions Do Not Merely Come And Go

Business prophets usually talk as though good and bad times come and go with the inevitability of the tide. This doctrine of economic predestination must not be allowed to obsess us into a state of submission to fate. The universe may be mechanical, but the affairs of mankind are subject to the will of man. Neither depressions nor booms are inevitable if we make up our minds to avert or control them. Booms and depressions are made by man and anything that is man-made can be unmade or made differently by man.—Stratford Beacon-Herald.

Five hundred large factories in Egypt have been equipped with modern machinery. 2181

Broadcast Reception

Highly Unsatisfactory Over Wide Areas Of Prairie Provinces
Highly unsatisfactory broadcast reception conditions over wide areas of the prairie provinces is the subject of a statement by the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation. The statement, issued by the corporation to western newspapers, says:

The Canadian Broadcasting Corporation desires that radio listeners in Western Canada should know that it is aware of the unsatisfactory broadcast reception conditions over wide areas of the prairie provinces, and that it is moving as rapidly as possible towards their correction.

The corporation's coverage survey has progressed far enough to show that western coverage is inadequate and that reception interference from outside Canada is aggravating the situation in blanketing stations to which listeners ordinarily look for Canadian broadcasting. The corporation realizes that this situation is causing great inconvenience to many thousands of western people.

The results of the coverage survey were nearly ready for examination by the board of governors.

Temporary measures of redress are being taken wherever possible but unfortunately the situation is such that expedients are unusually few. Permanent solution requires the application of a comprehensive plan.

View Of Famous Violinist

Fritz Kreisler Thinks Radio Broadcasting Has Cheapened Music
Fritz Kreisler said in San Francisco that radio has had a disastrous effect on music as a profession.

Notably before the microphone himself, the violinist asserted that "broadcasting mays what the artist produces, and what, the public gets is not the artist's conception, but the radio operator's conception."

Radio may not have affected the top-flight of concert artists, he said, but it has all but wiped out the rank and file.

The radio makes music too easily obtainable, the artist asserted.

Those who pay for tickets to a concert and make an effort to attend a recital in a hall have made some sort of sacrifice, however small, he said. "Radio's constant inundation of music in the home tends to cheapen it."

"I hid three spades" is no proper accompaniment to a Toscanini broadcast."

Valuable Stamp

Proposal For Collectors In United States To Unite To Purchase It

A faded little stamp of British Guiana, dated 1856 and generally labelled as the "world's most valuable," excited delegates to the American philatelic congress. A group of collectors made plans for keeping it in America permanently.

James Waldo Fawcett of Washington, secretary of the congress, said a proposal the stamp collectors of the United States unite to buy the stamp, valued at \$40,000, would be presented to the congress.

The stamp was part of the estate of Arthur Hind, Utica, N.Y., manufacturer, and now is in the possession of his widow, who has remarried.

Hind bought the stamp in 1923 at an auction in Paris for \$32,500. Fawcett said. Collectors said it's the only one of its kind ever found.

SELECTED RECIPES

WALNUT WAFERS

4 tablespoons Purify Flour
4 tablespoons butter
1½ cups brown sugar
1 egg
1½ cups chopped nuts
2 tablespoons water

Method: 1. Mix in order given and drop from teaspoon on to greased baking sheet. 2. Bake in hot oven of 400 degrees for 7 to 10 minutes. Cool before removing from pan.

B.C. Rhodes Scholar

Kamloops Man Has Been Chosen Of Selection Committee

E. Davie Fulton of Kamloops, son of a former provincial cabinet minister, was selected British Columbia Rhodes scholar for 1936 by the selection committee.

Davie graduated from University of British Columbia in 1933. He is the son of the late P. J. Fulton, K.C., attorney-general in the government of the late Sir Richard McBride in 1906.

It is possible for a healthy, well-fed man to die of starvation a short time after eating a hearty meal. Some unabridged dictionaries give one meaning of "starve" as to "die of cold."

India has ordered 60,000 pairs of horseshoes from Great Britain.

Be 'Leaf' Santa Claus!

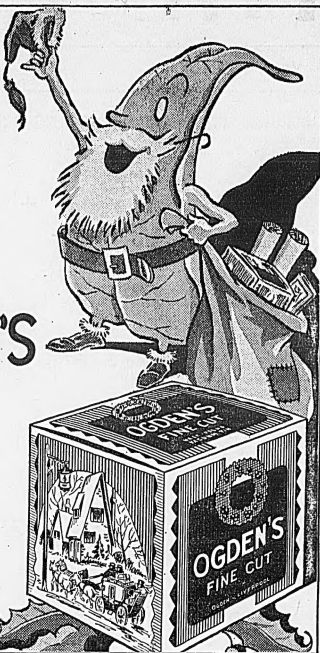
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One Thing World Needs

Longer Sermons And More People To Hear Them

To our mind says the Chatham, Ontario, News, the average churchgoer spends too much time worrying over the length of sermons. Most men who do go to church, are present in the Sanctuary once a week. That means that they spend all their waking hours of the week thinking about material things; and even when they do go to church they can spare only a few minutes of their time listening to the minister talk about spiritual things. They limit the speaker to 20 minutes—not a very long time when you consider how many minutes there are in a whole week.

As a matter of fact an hour should not be considered too long, under such circumstances—and when we look at conditions in the world to-day one of the things we need apparently is not shorter sermons, but "more and longer" sermons—and more men to listen to them.

Restrain Infringement On Aspirin Trade Mark

The Bayer Co., Ltd., of Windsor, Ont., was granted judgment of the Exchequer Court of Canada recently against Max Beyer of Winnipeg, Manitoba. The Bayer Company alleged that the defendant, Max Beyer, was infringing its registered trade mark "Aspirin" by applying same to tablets which were not the Bayer Co.'s product, and the judgment of the Exchequer Court perpetually restrains the defendant, Max Beyer, from selling or distributing products not manufactured by the Bayer Company as Aspirin.

No Middle Course

A doctor had finished his round of golf when his small Negro caddy remarked: "Doctor, ain't you got some shoes in yo' locker yo' don't want? I needs some bad."

"Perhaps," said the doctor. "What size do you wear?"
"I dunno, sah, 'cause I ain't never bought 'em dat way. I either can git in 'em or I can't."

Four thousand termites have been counted in a single cubic foot of wood.

Called On Old Friend

Queen Mary Paid Visit To Former Member Of Royal Household

On a recent afternoon a ring came to the door of No. 35, Inglis-road, Ealing. When the servant opened the door, he saw two women standing on the step, one young, the other white-haired. He bowed to the elder. It was Queen Mary.

She drove to the house, an ordinary suburban two-storey house, to visit an old friend, Lord Ormathwaite, who is 77 years of age and who was once a member of the Royal Household. For 13 years, from 1907 to 1920 he was Master of Ceremonies. But now Lord Ormathwaite is nearly blind. His wife, who was president of Queen Mary's Sewing Guild, died 15 years ago and he is confined to an invalid's chair.

To cheer him in his retirement, Queen Mary sends him a present of game from Sandringham every Christmas and the other day with Lady Forester, she brought her old friend a thick warm rug to wear in his garden. She found him in his invalid's chair.

"I'm afraid I can't get up, your Majesty," said Lord Ormathwaite. "Don't you move," replied Queen Mary. "Here let me wrap this rug around your knees."

She did. Then she sat down by his side, and for half an hour Queen Mary and her old friend talked of things that are past.

The Family Buys A Car

Father's Question: "How many miles to a gallon?"

Mother's Question: "What color is the upholstery?"
Son's Question: "How fast will she go?"

Daughter's Question: "Has it a good mirror?"

Neighbors' Question: "How can they afford it?"

John Drinkwater, dramatist, told an audience in London he would not be surprised if the cinema disappeared in 25 years with television upsetting the industry in the next five years.

The human body has a blood content of five quarts.

Veterans' Hearing Ends

Commission Now Assembling And Studying A Mass Of Material

Having concluded their public hearing throughout Canada, the war veterans' assistance commission now is engaged in assembling and studying a mass of material. The inquiries of that body took it into all the large centres of population in Canada.

Colonel J. G. Rattray, chairman, in a statement issued at Ottawa, says that "through briefs received from veterans' associations and individuals, invaluable suggestions for the elimination of local and general unemployment among ex-service men were submitted. In each centre the commission made a study of the conditions confronting those unfortunate enough to be relief recipients."

In most of the places visited the commission established voluntary local committees of prominent business men, who have pledged themselves to assist the commission in the completion of its task.

Enumeration and classification of unemployed veterans has been delayed by reason of the fact that returns on the commission's questionnaire continue to be received.

Reading A Speech

Art Has Been Mastered By Very Few Orators

Few orators have mastered the art of reading a speech, as recent news films of the American Presidential campaign emphasize. Neither Mr. Roosevelt nor Governor Landon succeeds. Both take hasty glances at their audience, instead of inexpressible glances at their text.

Lord Howarth's speech when he opened the Sunday Times Book Exhibition at Dorland Hall was a perfect example of how it should be done. His many quotations made a manuscript necessary. But it was only when he turned a page that one was conscious of the paper.—London Daily Mail.

Pulse beats in the ocean cause a displacement of the waters of the Gulf Stream.

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All letters addressed to the editor for insertion in The Advance, must be signed to show bona fides of the writer. Publication in all cases is subject to the judgment of the Publisher. We do not necessarily coincide with views expressed.

CHINOOK MARKET PRICES

WHEAT

1 Northern	61 1-2
2 Northern	59 1-2
3 Northern	55 1-2

OATS

2 C. W.	21
Ex. 1 Feed	17



CHINOOK UNITED CHURCH

Sunday December 20th

Sunday School 10.30 a.m.

Church Service 11.30

The Xmas message will be told in song and story.

Come and bring your friends in worship.

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" (dried)	35 cts.
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1 Pair of Light Sleighs

Apply to

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See me about that Hauling

Long or Short Hauls

Satisfaction Guaranteed

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FOR SALE

HOMEMADE CANDY

Ernie Robinson will make homemade Christmas Candy in the Butcher Shop. Will be open for business on Saturday, Dec. 19th.

LETHBRIDGE EXPERIMENTAL STATION WEEKLY LETTER

(Anniversary Letter)

Once every year this weekly letter, like anything else celebrates a birthday. This issue marks the end of the third year of this letter service which was started for the purpose of giving farmers a new and regular contact with the Experimental Station by providing information on topics of interest at a time when it would be of the greatest value. This we hoped to do by publishing letters each week and making the subject suitable to the season of the year.

As the Experimental Station is this year celebrating its thirtieth birthday we have felt that this may be an appropriate time for a series of letters which may be termed anniversary letters. These will deal with the general purpose of the Experimental Station and the work which it has done and is doing. This will be to provide our readers with a more intimate knowledge of their Experimental Station and, we hope, will cause them to seek the services which we are prepared to give.

The majority of our readers undoubtedly have a general idea regarding the purpose and function of the Experimental Station but it may be appropriate to provide a little more detail about our work. This very name of the institution indicates that it does experimental work but many may not realize fully that this work is directed entirely at solving problems which are preventing maximum production and efficiency on southern Alberta farms. Important as this work may be it can be of little or no value until the information obtained has become general knowledge and has received application in practical farming.

We have five main points of contact with our public, in field days at the Station, the annual short course at this Station, farmers meetings, our weekly letter, and then the correspondence which we get throughout the year. Of these various points of contact the weekly letter and our general correspondence provide our most continuous meeting place with the farmer. Correspondence is always welcome and a serious effort is made to provide information which is requested though at times the nature of the question

Hold Funeral For Sam Wong

The funeral took place, December 15th, to Chinook Cemetery of Sam Wong, restaurant keeper here. Services in the United Church and at the graveside were conducted by Rev. J. W. Smiley, pastor. The deceased had lived in Chinook for the past 20 years, and had made a secure place for himself in the hearts of the community.

He will be specially missed by the children. The smallest "toddler" could make his (or her) way very early in life, to Sam's and never came away empty-handed!

To the men "down on his luck" Sam never turned a deaf ear and his hand was in his pocket to give financial help often before it was even asked. No note or even security ever passed, and if the recipient of the help did not pay—well, "He perhaps needs it worse than I do". Sam would say.

At the funeral, the church was packed.

There were several beautiful wreaths, a large one of immortelles bearing a card. "In remembrance from Chinook community".

Sam was around 60 years of age. The pall bearers were all fellow countrymen, the chief mourners being his son, Smokie and a cousin, Charlie Wong.

Mrs. J. C. Turple, L. R. S. presided at the organ during the service. The school children were let out to attend the funeral of their "old friend".

W. A. Shoultz Appointed Supervisor of Hospitals —Well Known Here

W. B. Milne Resigns to Leave For Old Country—Held Position of Sec. in D. of Health

W. A. Shoultz has been appointed Supervisor of Hospitals in the Province of Alberta to succeed W. B. Milne, who has held that position for several years. Mr. Shoultz is well known throughout this district, having spent his boyhood in the Head Hills and receiving his education in local schools. Mr. Shoultz is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shoultz of Sarnyook, and for the past several months has been employed in the Department of Health at Edmonton.

Mr. Milne has been head of the Municipal Hospitals Supervisory Branch for the past eight years, and has also held the position of Secretary of the Provincial Department of Health. It was announced on Tuesday that he had resigned from this post and that he plans to leave early in December for England where he will study art for a year before returning to Alberta. The reported change has been confirmed by Hon. Dr. W. W. Cross, Minister of Public Health.

makes it rather difficult to be certain that the information provided is exactly what is wanted.

Information on the various fields of endeavor at the Station have been published from time to time in the form of annual reports, bulletins and special articles, and much more information is available in the files of the Station. Special attention is given to individual problems of the farm and any requests for information are met as fully as possible. It is of course acknowledged that in many cases we can only supply the facts and the application of these facts must be left to the individual farmer and modified to suit his particular conditions. However we believe that without the services of the Experimental Station and the functions which it has served during the time of its existence, agriculture in southern Alberta would not have been able to advance to the high state of development which it holds at the present time. Furthermore, we believe that the Station has as valuable service to render in the future as it has been given in the past, and it is the sincere hope of the Station staff that the farmers of southern Alberta will consider this Station as the place to provide them with all the information and assistance which it is possible to give.

The next few weekly letters will be a series of reviews of each department of work at the Experimental Station briefly setting out the work which is done and the service which is rendered.

Greetings

The Season of Cheer

For the enjoyment of
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Does Honesty Pay?

Usually, the answer is as obvious as the fact that two and two make four, no matter how you try to get any other total. Is there a substitute for honesty in our friends, our neighbours, our business associates? Would not the very foundations of our everyday life topple without the trust and faith we put in the word of others?

Sometimes, in our haste to attain a certain difficult objective, we may overlook certain factors. Perhaps it is wise then that we should stop now and ask ourselves that simple yet essential question, "Does Honesty Pay?"

An individual certainly makes little progress if he consistently adopts a policy which is not fundamentally honest. Therefore, does it not follow that a group of individuals would suffer the same penalty if it adopted a similar policy?

In other words, can two wrongs ever make a right? Can this province afford to pay the penalty of breaking faith with those who accepted our word in good faith? Will the immediate gain be more than wiped out by loss of our individual and collective honesty in the immediate future in the eyes of those to whom we MUST eventually go for financial support?

The answers to these questions concern every man, woman and child in Alberta today. Our future and our children's future is at stake.

This statement is one of a series written by The Mortgage Loans Association of the Province of Alberta. The Association is composed of 34 member companies. It represents hundreds of thousands of small investments by typical Canadians. Its loans to citizens of Alberta amount to some forty-five million dollars.

(The fourth statement in this series will be published in two weeks.)

The Ladies Card Club

Ladies Card Club met last week at the home of Mrs. L. Cooley. Miss K. Kain will be hostess to the club next week.

CURLERS ARE BUSY

Curlers are busy just now flooding the curling rink, and the hockey team is getting their rink flooded. Wesley Gilbertson has been appointed a caretaker of the skating rink. In the curling rink the curlers themselves look after making the ice, all members helping in turn.

Don't forget the Chinook Xmas Concert and dance on Wednesday, December 23rd.

Mrs. O. D. Harrington and little daughter Marjorie, left on Wednesday to visit with a sister who recently underwent an operation, living near V-greville. Mrs. Harrington will go from that place to Portland, Oregon, U. S. where he will visit for two months with her parents.

The Cando Christmas tree is scheduled for the 23rd Dec. Everyone is cordially invited.

Mr. Frank Schmitt returned to his farm after spending several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Falconer.

Ladies Card Club

The Ladies' Card Club met Tuesday at the Chinook Hotel with Miss Kain as hostess. Honors were shared by Miss Mildred Milligan and Mrs. W. W. Wilson.

Special Correspondent to 'Cover' Grain Probe.

Arrangements have been completed by the Chinook Advance to have the proceedings of the Royal Grain Inquiry Commission 'covered' by a special correspondent who will attend all sessions of the Commission during its meetings throughout Western Canada. Mr. Sam Ross, well known Western writer, will contribute a concise review of the week's proceedings of the Commission in each issue of this publication during the inquiry. Mr. Ross' articles will consist of a weekly review of the evidence presented.

The Grain Inquiry Commission which will be presided over by Mr. Justice Ingerson, will investigate various methods of marketing of Canada's wheat, including pooling, the futures market, and the wheat board system. The future of Canada's wheat in the export markets of the world will also be dealt with, as well as the problem of falling off in consumption and international trade in wheat.

The Friendly Circle Held Meeting

The Friendly Circle held the December meeting Thursday at the home of Mrs. A. V. Youell, Mrs. Youell acting as chairman.

It was decided that the usual Christmas party for Children would not be held this year. Instead Christmas cheer will be given only where needed.

Plans were made for distributing some warm stockings and mitts to children who, it was thought, would require them. These will be given in the near future instead of waiting till Christmas.

The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. V. S. Lee.

Don't forget to attend the Special Xmas Church Service Dec. 20th, at 11.30 a.m.